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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date February 2, 2006

In re the Application of

Akira FUKUSHIMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2834

Application No.: 10/665,296

Examiner: Y. COMAS

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Docket No.: 117161

For: SEQUENTIALLY JOINED-SEGMENT ARMATURE AND AC MACHINE USING SAME

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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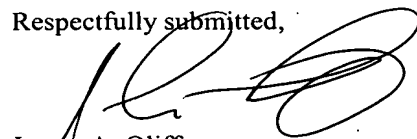
Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired January 5, 2006, an extension of time for a period of 1 month is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 176016 in the amount of \$120 in payment for:

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